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(TL:VISA-306; 07-30-2001)

RECIPROCITY

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Class	Fee	No. Applications	Validity
A-1	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS [A]
A-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS [A]
A-3 [1]	NONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS
B-1	NONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS
B-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS
B-1/B-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS
C-1	NONE	ONE	1 MONTH
C-1/D	N/A	N/A	N/A
C-2	NONE	ONE	15 DAYS
C-3	NONE	MULTIPLE	48 MONTHS [A]
D	NONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS
E-1 [2]	NONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS
E-2 [2]	NONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS
F-1	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS
F-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS
G-1	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS [A]
G-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS [A]
G-3	NONE	ONE	6 MONTHS
G-4	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS [A]
G-5 [1]	NONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS
H-1B	NONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS [3]
H-1C	NONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS [3]
H-2A	NONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS [3]
H-2B	NONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS [3]
H-3	NONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS [3]
H-4	NONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS [3]
I	NONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS
J-1 [4]	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS
J-2 [4]	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS
K-1	NONE	ONE	6 MONTHS
K-2	NONE	ONE	6 MONTHS
K-3	NONE	MULTIPLE	120 MONTHS
K-4	NONE	MULTIPLE	120 MONTHS
L-1	NONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS [3]
L-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS [3]
M-1	NONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS
M-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS
N-8	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS
N-9	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS
NATO 1-7	N/A	N/A	N/A
O-1	NONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS [3]
O-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS [3]
O-3	NONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS [3]

P-1	NONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS [3]
P-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS [3]
P-3	NONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS [3]
P-4	NONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS [3]
Q-1[6]	NONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS [3]
R-1	NONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS
R-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS
S-5 [7]	NONE	ONE	1 MONTH
S-6 [7]	NONE	ONE	1 MONTH
S-7 [7]	NONE	ONE	1 MONTH
TD [5]	N/A	N/A	N/A
V-1	NONE	MULTIPLE	120 MONTHS
V-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	120 MONTHS [8]
V-3	NONE	MULTIPLE	120 MONTHS [8]

[A] A visa is to be issued with the validity of the applicant's assignment as indicated in the official note of request, but it is not to exceed 60 months (48 months in the case of a C-3 visa).

SPECIAL CLEARANCE AND ISSUANCE PROCEDURES

Nonofficial Travel

(TL:VISA-291; 06-08-2001)

None.

Official Travel

(TL:VISA-293; 06-18-2001)

A VISA BEAR Security Advisory Opinion (SAO) request must be submitted on all A and G visa applications made by diplomats and government officials of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia (FRY) for permanent assignment to the (FRY) Embassy in Washington or to the United Nations . SAOs in the VISA BEAR format should be slugged for CA/VO/L/C, EUR/SCE and IO/UNP. Once a SAO request has been sent, the Department's response is required prior to visa issuance.

DOCUMENTS AND RECORDS

Police Record

(TL:VISA-216; 10-31-2000)

Available. A certificate (uverenje) issued by the Secretariat for the internal affairs (Sekretarijat za Unutrasnje Poslove) office having jurisdiction over a person's permanent residence shows whether the applicant has been convicted of any crimes and the articles of law involved. A similar document issued by the public prosecutor (javni tuzilac) of the district shows only if the person is currently under investigation. Therefore, this document is not a substitute for the police certificate.

Police certificates can be obtained from FRY embassies for FRY citizens who request them. Non-FRY citizens must request FRY police certificates through their own embassy, which will relay the request to the FRY Foreign Ministry.

Prison Record

(TL:VISA-216; 10-31-2000)

Available. A statement of the time spent in a correctional institution can be obtained from the prison in which a person was confined. It does not contain a report of his or her demeanor during imprisonment.

Military Record

(TL:VISA-216; 10-31-2000)

Unavailable.

Birth, Marriage and Death Certificates

(TL:VISA-216; 10-31-2000)

Available. Birth (Izvod iz Maticne Knjige Rodjenih), marriage (Izvod iz Maticne Knjige Vencanih) and death certificates, (Izvod iz Maticne Knjige Umrlih) are available from the civil registrar having jurisdiction over the locality where the event occurred. The fact that a marriage took place by proxy is not usually evident from the marriage certificate. Prior to May 10, 1946, these records were maintained by church authorities, except in the Vojvodina where civil records were kept. Since that date, only civil marriages have been legal. The church documents are entitled Izvod Iz Knjiga Za Upisivanje Rodjenih I Krstenih (Birth certificate), Smrtni List (death certificate), and Vencani List (Marriage certificate). Many records, particularly in Montenegro, were destroyed during the Second World War and reconstructed afterwards.

Divorce Certificate

(TL:VISA-216; 10-31-2000)

Available. Copies of divorce judgments are available from the district court (okružni sud) which decided the case. A divorce certificate is typewritten and headed "In the Name of the People" (U ime naroda). Since May 10, 1976, only divorces obtained through the civil courts have been legal. Prior to this date, divorces granted by church authorities were also recognized, except in the Vojvodina.

Other Records

(TL:VISA-216; 10-31-2000)

Identity card: Available. All residents of the FRY who have reached their eighteenth birthday must carry an identity card (Licna Karta) issued by the Secretariat for Internal Affairs (Sekretarijat za Unutrasnje Poslove). It contains the photograph, date and place of birth, and address of the bearer.

Statement of Unmarried Status: The civil registrar having jurisdiction over a person's residence will issue a certificate (uverenje) stating that the applicant is not married.

NOTE: Non-residents must apply for these documents through a FRY diplomatic mission. They are unlikely to receive a reply if they write directly to the issuing office. FRY consular offices throughout the world are supplied with the appropriate forms for obtaining civil documents. The request will be forwarded to the FRY Secretariat for Foreign Affairs for transmission to the office responsible for the issuance of the required document. The document will then be returned to the applicant via the Secretariat for Foreign Affairs and the FRY Diplomatic Mission abroad.

The above procedure can be lengthy. All applicants are encouraged to obtain the required documents through a family member, friend or lawyer residing in FRY, who could apply personally at the office which issues them.

Passports: Information on Travel Documents

(TL:VISA-216; 10-31-2000)

The Government of the FRY issues a passport in the name of the "Federal Republic of Yugoslavia" (FRY). This passport replaces existing passports issued under the authority of the "Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia." The U.S. Government recognizes the new passport as a valid travel document.

The new FRY passports are dark blue with gold lettering on the front that indicates “Federal Republic of Yugoslavia” in Serbian Cyrillic and “passport” in Cyrillic and Latin letters and again in French. The information page contains data on a small hologram seal in the lower left corner. The passport pages are multicolored brown with a geometric design.

Unexpired old-style “Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia” passports remain valid for U.S. visa issuance.

VISA ISSUING POST

(TL:VISA-296; 07-11-2001)

Budapest (E) All Categories

Web Address: <http://www.usemb.belgrade.rpo.at/>.

GEOGRAPHIC AREAS SERVICED

(TL:VISA-229; 01-17-2001)

All of Yugoslavia.